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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS PRIORITY
INFO NAMSA-CAPELLEN LUXEMBOURG

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, AG

SUBJECT: PRODUCT OPPORTUNITY: TRUCKS, TRAILERS AND BUSES
FOR SONACOME

REF: ALGIERS 783(T80), 739(T81), 743(T84), 745(T83),
747(T85)

1. USDOC HAS INFORMED U.S. COMPANIES OF REFERENCED TO'S
AND HAS RECEIVED OVER A DOZEN RESPONSES OF INTEREST.
WORKING COPY OF SPECS FURNISHED BY EMBASSY HAS BEEN SUP-
PLIED TO THESE FIRMS. BIGGEST PROBLEM FACING ALL
INTERESTED PARTIES IS SHORT TIME TO RESPOND (E.G. APRIL
15) WHAT WITH NECESSARY FRENCH-ENGLISH-FRENCH
TRANSLATION REQUIREMENT.

2. ACTION REQUESTED. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY SEEKING
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AS MUCH AS 60 BUT NO LESS THAN 30 DAY EXTENSION OF BID
DEADLINE. WITHOUT AT LEAST 30 ADDITIONAL DAYS, MOST
FIRMS FEEL THEY WILL BE UNABLE TO SUBMIT BID. ALSO
REQUEST EMBASSY EVALUATION OF END USE OF TRUCKS
INCLUDING POSSIBLE MILITARY APPLICATION OF ESPECIALLY
EXTRA, HEAVY DUTY TRACTORS.

3. F.Y.I. COPY OF ALGIERS 744 (T82) WAS ALSO
DISTRIBUTED TO APPROXIMATELY 30 FIRMS AT SAME TIME
AS REFTELS. HOWEVER, NO RESPONSE OF INTEREST HAS BEEN
RECEIVED FROM ANY OF THE FIRMS. IF INTEREST SHOULD
DEVELOP, SAME PROBLEM OF TIME AS MENTIONED ABOVE
WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY EXIST. THEREFORE, EMBASSY MAY WANT
TO ALSO INCLUDE THIS TENDER IN ITS REQUEST FOR
ADDITIONAL TIME ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO GUARANTEE THAT
U.S. FIRMS WILL BE FOLLOWING UP WITH BID. VANCE

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